

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

## Civil Cover Sheet

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**Plaintiff**  
(s): **United States of America**

**Defendant**  
(s): **Richard Carter ; Jerry Goodwin ;  
R&J Feed Co. ; Carter Livestock,  
Inc.**

County of Residence: Outside State of Missouri

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County Where Claim For Relief Arose: Jackson

Plaintiff's Atty(s):

Defendant's Atty(s):

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II. Basis of Jurisdiction: **1. U.S. Gov't Plaintiff**

III. Citizenship of Principal  
Parties (Diversity Cases Only)

Plaintiff:- N/A

Defendant:- N/A

IV. Origin : **1. Original Proceeding**

V. Nature of Suit: **890 Other Statutory Actions**

VI.Cause of Action: **31 U.S.C. Section 3729-33**

VII. Requested in Complaint

Class Action:

Dollar Demand: N/A

Jury Demand: No

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**Signature:** s/ Charles M. Thomas

**Date:** 6/16/2010

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